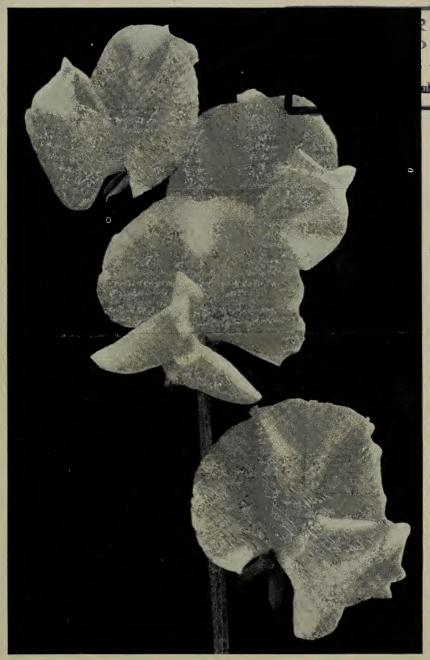
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# Burpee's Sweet Peas for 1915.



An Average Spray of KING WHITE,—Reproduced from a Fordhook Photograph.

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# Three Superb Burpee-Spencer Sweet Peas.

While we much regret not being able to offer several beautiful Sweet Pea Novelties which an attack of Aphis destroyed on our Floradale Farm, we consider ourselves fortunate on account of harvesting crops which permit our supplying the trade with seed of three of our superb novelties of 1914,—Wedgwood, Illuminator and King White.

Wedgwood. This beautiful novelty is likely to become quite as popular in the Sweet Pea world as the famous china is among connoisseurs. Wedgwood is a unique shade of lovely light blue and completely eclipses such varieties as Flora Norton



A Flower, Natural Size, of

"WEDGWOOD," from Photograph taken at FORDHOOK FARMS. Spencer, Princess Mary, Southcote Blue and Zephyr. The flowers, of good size and substance, are well waved in both standard and wings; they are borne almost uniformly in four-flowered sprays upon long stout stems. Wedgwood is a color long sought for in Sweet Peas and will be eagerly welcomed by all lovers of this beautiful annual. It was awarded a Certificate of Merit by the Pennsylvania Horticultural Society at the Philadelphia Sweet Pea Show, June 26, 1913.

In sealed packets containing twenty seeds each: Per pkt. 15 cts.; \$1.00 per dozen pkts.; \$7.00 per 100 pkts. In lots of 500 packets or more, \$6.25 per 100 pkts. (Cable word, China.)

In sealed packets containing forty seeds each: Per pkt. 25 cts.; \$2.00 per dozen pkts.; \$13.75 per 100 pkts. In lots of 500 packets or more, \$12.50 per 100 pkts. (Cable word, Wedgwood.)

Illuminator. In color it is perfectly distinct from all other varieties and has been pronounced the most glorious Sweet Pea ever seen. It might be described as a rich glowing cerise-salmon, with an indication of bright orange suffusion which marvelously scintillates and glistens under bright sunlight; under artificial light the flowers appear to be a glowing orange-scarlet. Uniformly of large size and great substance. The flowers are most perfectly formed, and

great substance. The flowers are most perfectly formed, and well placed on long stout stems, frequently in "fours." Of vigorous growth, the vines carry a rich profusion of bloom. We were awarded a Certificate of Merit for Illuminator both by the American Sweet Pea Society at the great Boston Show, July, 1913, and The Pennsylvania Horticultural Society, Philadelphia, June 26, 1913.

In sealed packets containing twenty-five seeds each: Per pkt. 15 cts.; \$1.00 per dozen pkts.; \$7.00 per 100 pkts. In lots of 500 packets or more, \$6.25 per 100 pkts. (Cable word, Shining.)

King White. Too much cannot be said in praise of this unique new white Spencer. It has all the first-class qualities which go to form Sweet Pea perfection. It is remarkable for the "glistening immaculate purity of the whiteness" and the perfect finish of the flower. While of truly gigantic proportions, the flowers are most exquisitely finished in every detail. King White has such marvelous substance,—which might almost be termed "leathery,"—that it is entirely free from the objectionable reflexing habit so generally found in the standard of other whites. The grand flowers are borne almost invariably in "fours" upon stout stems of great length. The bold, widely expanded standard is waved exquisitely, while the wings, also well waved, are beautifully placed. The plants are exceptionally vigorous in growth with distinctive rich green foliage, and wonderfully profuse in bloom for a long season. KING WHITE is the one white for both exhibitors and market growers, while it is indispensable in every up-to-date amateur's collection. King White received an Award of Merit from The National Sweet Pea Royal Horticultural Society of England, July, 1912, after having been grown in their trials; also Award of Merit by The Royal Horticultural Society of England, July, 1913; and Bronze Medal from The North Lonsdale Rose Society, Ulverston, England, July, 1913.

PRICE FOR 1915,—\$8.00 per lb. (Cable word, King.)

# Burpee's Advance Offer of Sweet Peas for 1915

#### Headquarters for Sweet Peas in America

Bound by these prices only for quantities so far as accepted.

TS For cable words for quantities refer to our GENERAL WHOLESALE CATALOG or 5TH EDITION A. B. C. CODE.—but when convenient we prefer our own code.

Never before was there a better prospect for a large and fine crop of Sweet Pea Seed in America than during the spring of 1914, but unfortunately after the vines had started to run

America than during the spring of 1914, but unfortunately after the vines had started to run they were attacked by countless millions of Aphis. Every attempt was made to save the crops by careful and constant spraying, but only a few fields out of the many planted survived, and we are therefore facing another short supply of seed.

While we were unfortunate in losing a number of special stocks and many selections (including a promising crop of our Floradale Fairy), we saved fields planted with our re-selected stocks of standard Spencer varieties, while the Grandifloras have produced fair crops considering the Aphis, but all the crops were saved at a heavy expense for spraying and dusting.

As usual, our growing crops have been personally inspected and the quality of the seed offered will surely satisfy critical planters everywhere.

## Superb Sweet Peas of the "Spencer" Type

All of the Best Re-selected Strains

All of the Best Re-selected Strai	113	
	Telegraph Code.	
Afterglow. Electric shades of blue and rosy mauve,	$Sky$ $$	Sold out.
America Spencer. Red flakes on white ground; extra fine,	<i>Slab</i>	\$1 75
Annis Gibson. A large purplish mauve,	Annis	4 00
Arthur Green. A rich dark claret color,	Slabber	5 00
Apple Blossom Spencer (Burpee's). Rose and pink, waved,	Slack	2 00
Asta Ohn. Soft lavender, suffused mauve,	Slain	2 00
Aurora Spencer (Burpee's). Cream-white, flaked orange-salmon	n, . Slam	2 25
Beatrice Spencer. White ground, tinted with pink and buff, .	<i>Slang</i>	2 00
Bertrand Deal. A large rosy-mauve self,	Bertrand	5 00
Bertie Usher. Similar to Loyalty,	Bertie .	4 50
Blanche Ferry Spencer. Rose standard, pinkish-white wings,	Slangly .	2 00
Blue Jacket. A fine deep navy blue,		
Captivation Spencer. Flowers are a rich rosy wine-red,	Slapdash	2 00
Charles Foster. A beautiful hydrangea-pastel shade,		
Charm (Burpee's). White, suffused blush-pink,	Slapper .	5 00
Clara Curtis. A fine Primrose Spencer,		
Constance Oliver. Delicate pink, suffused cream,	Stape	2 00
Countess Spencer. Large wavy petals; soft rose-pink,	Slashed	1 75
Cynthia. Light pink, suffused on cream ground,	Cynthia	5 00
Dainty Spencer. White, edged with rose,	Slatter .	2 00
Decorator. Rose, overlaid with terra-cotta,	Slatternly	. 4 00
Dobbie's Cream. Beautiful primrose-colored flowers,		
Duplex Crimson King. Scarlet self,		
Duplex Spencer. Beautiful cream-pink,		
Earl Spencer. Rich orange-salmon,	Slave	6 00
Edith Taylor. A bright salmon-rose,	Slavery .	. Sold out.
Elfrida Pearson. Light pink, margined with a darker pink,	Slaving .	2 50
Empress Eugenie. Light gray, flaked with lavender. Packets on	٠,	
Eric Harvey. White, suffused rose,	Slavish .	1 75

## "SPENCER" SWEET PEAS,—Continued.

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Ethel Roosevelt. Primrose, striped and flaked light pink,	elegraph Code.	Per ID.
Flora Norton Spencer. A beautiful shade of lavender,	Slice	. p1 /3
Florence Morse Spencer. Light pink, edged with darker pink,		
Florence Nightingale. A fine lavender,		
Florrie. Rosy erimson-lake,	France	. 3 50
Gaiety Spencer. White ground, striped with rose-crimson,		
George Herbert. Bright rosy carmine,		
Gladys Burt. Salmon-pink on primrose ground,		
Helen Lewis. Standard crimson-orange; wings orange-rose,		
Helen Pierce Spencer. White, mottled bright blue,		
Hercules. A larger, deeper Countess Spencer,		
		. 5 50
Illuminator. A rich salmon-pink. Packets only. (See page 2), Irish Belle, or Dream. Lilac, flushed pink,	Shining.	0 75
Isobel Malcolm. A black-seeded cream-colored Spencer,	Stoping	. 2 75
Jack Tar. A fine dark-blue self,		. 5 00
Jessie Cuthbertson Spencer. Dark rose stripes on cream ground.		
Sealed Packets only,	Stosning.	0.00
John Ingman. Similar to George Herbert,		
John Ridd. A large purple self,		
King Alfred. A large orange-pink self,		
King Edward Spencer (Burpee's). Deep carmine-scarlet,		
King Manoel. Rich maroon self,		
King White. "Best of all" white Spencers. (See page 2),		
Lady Evelyn Eyre. Pink, flushed salmon,		
Leslie Imber. A rich blue self,		
Loyalty. Violet flake on white ground,		
Majestic. A large deep cream self,		. 5 00
Margaret Atlee. Pink on cream, suffused with salmon. Packets only,		- 00
Margaret Madison. An azure-blue self,		
Marie Corelli. Brilliant rose-carmine,		
Martha Washington. White, suffused light rose,		
Maud Holmes. Deep carmine-scarlet,		
Mercia. Buff-pink on cream ground,		
Mrs. A. Ireland. Buff ground, suffused rose,		
Mrs. C. W. Breadmore. Buff ground, edged with pink,	Smitten	. 2 00
Mrs. Cuthbertson. Standard rose-pink, wings nearly white,		
Mrs. Hardcastle Sykes. A blush-pink,		
Mrs. Hugh Dickson. Pinkish apricot on a cream ground,		
Mrs. Heslington. Lavender, flushed rose-pink,		
Mrs. Routzahn. Apricot or buff, suffused with delicate pink,		
Mrs. Townsend. White with picotee edge of blue,		
Mrs. T. W. Warren. Bright blue-veined on white,		
Mrs. W. J. Unwin. White, flaked with orange-scarlet,		
Nubian. Deep chocolate self,	Smuggle .	. 3 50
Orchid (Burpee's). Deep lavender, suffused pink. (Per oz. \$1.00),		
Orion. Deep reddish-crimson,		
Othello Spencer. Rich deep maroon,		
Pearl=Gray Spencer. Light dove-gray,		
Premier. Crimson-scarlet self,		. 4 00
Primrose Spencer (Burpee's). A cream-yellow shade,	snart	. 2 25
Prince George. A pastel shade; rosy lilac,	Snarting .	. 6 50
Purple Prince Spencer. Standard purple-maroon; wings rosy purple,		
Queen Victoria Spencer. Deep primrose, flushed with rose,		·2 (W)
Rosabelle. A very fine large rose self, ,		

#### "SPENCER" SWEET PEAS,—Continued.

	Telegraph Code.	Per to.
Scarlet Emperor. Rich dark scarlet,	. Socman	\$7 50
Robert Sydenham. A beautiful orange scarlet self. Sealed Packets only	, Sydenham.	
Senator Spencer. Claret stripes on heliotrope ground,	. Sod	2 00
Stirling Stent. Deep salmon self, suffused with orange,	. Sodding	3 50
Tennant Spencer. An attractive shade of purplish mauve,	. Soldier	2 00
Thomas Stevenson. The finest of all orange-scarlet selfs,	. Solidify	2 50
Vermilion Brilliant. Brilliant scarlet; large and fine. (Per oz. \$1.00)	, Solve	15 00
Walter P. Wright. Light lavender self,	. Wright	3 00
Wedgwood. The best "blue Spencer." Packets only. (See page 2)	, Wedgwood.	
White Spencer (Burpee's). The popular white,	. Sound	2 00
W. T. Hutchins. Cream-yellow, margined with blush-pink,	. Span	1 75
The Burpee-Blend of Re-selected "Spencers," Mixed,	. Speck \$1 60 \$	100 fbs. 3150 00

## Best Grandiflora Tall Sweet Peas,

Including all desirable varieties—both new and old.

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	Telegraph Code or Cipher.	Per lb.
Agnes Eckford. Beautiful soft light pink,	Jabber	. \$0 65
America. The brightest blood-red striped,	Jacamar .	. 50
Aurora. Flaked orange-salmon; largest striped,	Jacinth	. 85
Black Knight. Deep maroon; self-colored,	Jack	. 85
Blanche Burpee. Large pure white,	Jacket	. 45
Blanche Ferry. The popular pink and white,	Jackman .	. 60
Blanche Ferry,—Extra Early. Ten days earlier,	Jacobin .	. 75
Bolton's Pink. Rich salmon-pink,	Jaculatory	85
Brilliant Blue (Lord Nelson). "The best deep blue,"	Jade	
Burpee's Earliest of All. Earlier than Extra Early Blanche Ferry,	Earliest	. 85
Burpee's Earliest of All—Re-selected,—"Extreme Early,"	Jaganat .	. 1 00
Burpee's Earliest Sunbeams. Very early; cream colored,		
Burpee's Earliest White. The earliest white,		
Christmas Stella Morse. Very early flowering,		
Countess of Radnor. Pale mauve or lavender,		
Dainty. White with pink edge,	•	
Dobbie's Mid-Blue. Much lighter than Navy Blue,		
Dorothy Eckford. Pure white. (Per 100 lbs. \$45.00)		
Duke of Westminster. Standard rosy maroon; wings violet-purple		. 85
Emily Henderson. White; blooms early,		
Flora Norton. A beautiful rich lavender,		
Florence Wright. Pure white; of fine substance,		. 65
Helen Pierce. Blue mottled on white,		
Henry Eckford. Salmon-orange,		
Hon. Mrs. E. Kenyon. Primrose-colored,		. 85
Janet Scott. Flowers are unusually large and of a beautiful shade o		4.05
rich pink,		
King Edward VII. Bright crimson self-color,		
Lady Grisel Hamilton. Light lavender-blue,		
Le Marquis. Early-flowering; color of Navy Blue,	•	
Lovely. Soft shell-pink,		. 60
Maid of Honor. White, edged with blue,		
Midnight. Very dark purple. Same as Jet,		
Miss Willmott. Of large size; deep orange-pink,	. 910e	. 60
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#### GRANDIFLORA SWEET PEAS,—Continued.

	Telegraph Code.	Per tt.
Mont Blanc (Florence Denzer). Early white; fine for forcing, .	. Jill	. \$1 25
Mrs. Alexander Wallace. Early; rosy lavender,	. Jim	. 85
Mrs. Chas. H. Totty. Early; color of Countess of Radnor,	. Jink	. 1 25
Mrs. Collier. A primrose Dorothy Eckford,	. Collier	. 60
Mrs. Dugdale. A large beautiful deep rose,	. Dugdale .	. 75
Mrs. E. Wilde. Early flowering; bright rose,	Jimson	
Mrs. Eckford. Beautifully shaded primrose-yellow,	. Jimpy	. 60
Mrs. F. J. Dolansky. Early flowering; pure pink,	. Jippo	. 1 50
Mrs. Geo. Higginson, Jr. Delicate lavender,	. Jingle	. 75
Mrs. Walter Wright. A beautiful mauve color,	. Jirkinet	. 65
Mrs. William Sim. Early flowering; salmon-pink,	. Joan	. 1 00
Navy Blue. Deep violet-blue,	. Navy	. 75
Othello. Deep glossy maroon,		
Prima Donna. A most lovely shade of soft pink,	. Jogelour .	. 60
Prince of Wales. Bright rose; self-colored,		
Queen Alexandra. An intense scarlet self,	. Jooming .	. 60
Queen of Spain. Beautiful buff-pink,		
Rose du Barri. Deep rich carmine-rose,		
Sadie Burpee,—White-seeded. Pure white,		. 60
Safrano. Very rich primrose self,	Safrano .	. 1 00
St. George. Standard orange, wings orange-carmine,		
Sunproof Salopian. A fine scarlet,		
Shasta. Pure white flowers of good size,		
Sybil Eckford. Color effect creamy buff,	. Jugate	. 85
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Mixtures of Grandiflora SWEET I  Telegraph Cod  Fine Mixed,	e. Per b	Per 100 fbs. \$45 00 50 00 100 00 70 00 100 00
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